

# Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) Student Certification: Maintenance & Light Repair

**Aligned Program of Study:** Automotive Maintenance & Light Repair

**Aligned Course:**

- Maintenance & Light Repair IV (5882)

## Description

The exam content aligns to the 2012 NATEF Automobile standards for Maintenance and Light Repair. This includes the tasks involved in the process of diagnosing and repairing problems in various vehicle systems. Topics covered include engine repair, automatic transmission and transaxle, manual drive train and axles, suspension and steering, brakes, electrical/ electronic systems, heating and air conditioning, and engine performance. The ASE Student Certification in Maintenance & Light Repair can be thought of as a first step in building a collection of credentials as a service professional in the automotive industry. With an ASE Student Certification, the students will have demonstrated the knowledge and skills needed for an entry level automotive service technician. The exam content covers topics from all four levels of courses in the program of study providing a summative assessment for the program of study. The chart below outlines the content areas covered.

## Materials and Resources

Sample questions and test information is available at <http://www.asestudentcertification.com/>.

## Testing Sites

Tests are taken online at the school during designated test windows. A site administrator and proctor must be selected. The proctor may be a school administrative staff member of current or retired faculty member, but may not be a faculty member currently teaching motor vehicle technology.

- Fall Test Window Open: August 15 - January 31
- Spring Test Window Open: March 15 - June 15

## Test Owner and Registration

National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence

Phone: (800) 362-0544

<http://www.asestudentcertification.com/>

## Registration Procedures

Schools may register by submitting an order form to ASE. The order form can be downloaded at <http://www.asestudentcertification.com/>. A guide to getting started is available at this link: <http://www.asestudentcertification.com/pdfs/GettingStartedOverview-2015.pdf>.

<b>Exam Code</b>	MR
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.asestudentcertification.com/">http://www.asestudentcertification.com/</a>
<b>Number of Questions</b>	60 questions
<b>Type of Questions</b>	Multiple choice
<b>Length of Test</b>	The exam should be scheduled for 90 minutes. For those students requiring additional time, the system clock will automatically allow twice the recommended time (180 minutes).
<b>Passing Score</b>	31 questions correct
<b>Price</b>	A single \$30 fee per student, per academic year, allows the student to take any or all tests in a test series twice each year – once in the fall and once in the spring. Fall tests can be designated as a pretest for pre- and post-test score reporting.